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Dear Secretary Williams:

Honorable Vernon A. Williams Surface Transportation Board

Washington, DC 20423-0001

This letter is to inform the Surface Transportation Board that Clark County has notified all of our active and recently active freight shippers on the County's rail line that we are changing to a new common carrier operator. The Columbia Basin Railroad Company will operate approximately 14 miles of rail line that the County owns as described in my letter dated February 13, 2004. The active freight shippers that have been notified are as follows:

Anderson Dairy, Inc.
State Pipe & Supply Company
Bonneville Power Administration – Ross Complex

Please call me if you have questions at (360) 397-6118 extension 4017.

Sincerely,

Steven C. Schulte Railroad Coordinator

Steven C. Schulte

cc: Curt Wyrick/Clark County Carl Oman/Clark County Rose Michelle Weinryb/WBSK Eric Temple/Spirit of Washington